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Has A Record in the Field

The New Improved Big 6 McCormick Mower has a record for cutting prairie wool that can not be equaled.

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LOST

1 Black 2 year old Mare, clipped and sweeneyed on right shoulder.

2 Sorrel yearling Fillies
1 Bay yearling Filly
2 Bay yearling Stud Colts

Any information leading to recovery will be suitably rewarded.

K. G. Wiles 34-34-4 Monitor

LOST

1 red cow, ear tag on right ear, calf at side. 1 two year old red and white heifer. No brands.

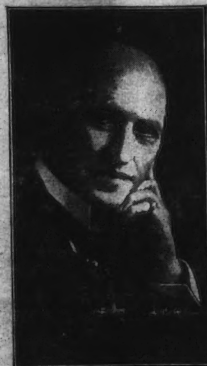
H. McCarron Monitor

Watch the GRAY-DORT

Chas. C. Jackson : Coronation
Distributing Agent of the Ford Tractor
Particulars on Application

GOVERNMENT RETURNED

Wilson Elected By Big Majority



Liberals Elected 34
Conservatives 19
Independent 2

These figures include those who were re-elected by Act of Government. The former standing in the house was: Liberal 39 Conservative 17 Five seats were still doubtful at midnight.

The many friends of the Rev. J. L. Wright will be sorry to hear that he will not have charge of this district again.

Mr. Wright has enlisted for overseas service and will leave for camp, shortly. Rev. J. E. Collins has been stationed here and the usual services as before.

Meiklejohn - Bowler

The marriage of Miss Millie Bowler of Monitor, and Mr. Clarence Meiklejohn, Manager of the Gundy Farm, Provost, took place at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Francis Bowler, Monitor, on Sunday, June 3rd, at the hour of three o'clock in the afternoon. Rev. Mr. McNutt, of Consort, was the officiating minister. The bride was dressed in white satin with veil and orange blossoms, and carried a bouquet of white carnations and fern. Mrs. R. S. Meiklejohn played the wedding march.

Many beautiful presents were received by the young couple, as well as a substantial sum in cash. The groom's gift to the bride was a lavalliere and brooch of matching design in pearls and pearls.

The guests included only the relatives of the bride and groom and a small number of personal friends. Supper was served after the ceremony, and in the evening Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Meiklejohn motored across to Provost, to their new home, amid showers of rice and good wishes from their friends.

Watch the Gray-Dort

ESTRAY

Strayed to N. E. 1 Sec. 16-36-4-4, one light bay Mare, 4 years old, one white foot, star on forehead, has a halter on, brand similar to weight about 1100 lbs.

Also dark bay yearling filly, three white feet, star, clipped mane. R. W. Ridley Sounding Lake

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A hearty invitation to all services Books provided.

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PASTOR
Service will be held on Sunday June 3rd at Butte Church at 11 a.m.

Sunday Services

Co-Operation:
Presbyterian and Methodist

Horse Shoe 11 a. m.
Creek Valley 3 p. m.
Monitor 7.30 p. m.
Monitor Sunday School.. 2 p.m.
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The Squire's Sweetheart

BY KATHARINE TYNAN

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(Continued.)

Again the expression of her eyes changed. They darkened and lightened in sudden fear. He put an arm about her, with a protecting tenderness, and felt her heart leap under his hand.

"Oh, no, no, she said. 'He would kill you, I am sure he would kill you. He must never know. I will go away. I know a convent in France where they take me in where I should be safe.'

"So her fear was for him. 'My little love,' he said, and his voice shook. 'Say I love you, Don and I will marry you. Leave me the rest. There is no convent for you, seeing that you love me and I love you. I shall know how to keep my own.'

"I am afraid—so afraid that he may hurt you."

The Squire stooped and kissed the lips lifted to his. There was a rustle—a stealthy sound outside the door, a knocking at the door.

He drew the girl closer to him. He hid her face against his shoulder; he put a hand softly over her ear. Only for her fears he would have liked to come to close quarters with the man outside, but he had to be guarded. There must be no noise about her, no talk, no scandal.

The latch was lifted. There was the sound of someone pressing hard against the door. A pause. The footsteps went around the house, stealthily, slowly, with the sound like padding of some heavy animal. The Squire put the girl out of his arms to extinguish the lamp. He had had a sudden fear that below the door of the room, through some chink the light might shine. The room now was in complete darkness. He could feel the beating of Dolly's heart against his own as he went back to her and drew her to him in the darkness. It was not so he wished to protect her; not in the darkness listening for her foot as though he were afraid. But it was the only way.

In a few moments the footsteps came back again. Again the latch was lifted, and something hurried itself against the door like a battering ram. The stout door shook under the assault. Yet there was a stealthiness in the effort to break down the door which was terrifying in itself. The hard breathing on the other side of the oaken planks, the pushings and strivings and fumbling with the latch were more ominous than any loud outbreak could have been. It was as though some great beast rather than a man tried to come in.

Again there was a quietness, and he felt the girl quiver in his arms. She tried to get away from him. Her voice whispered at his ear: "I want to open the door." He guessed what had happened. The man outside the door was exercising a hypnotic influence upon the girl. She was willing her to come to him, to open the door.

His hands closed upon her shoulders, gently, yet firmly. "Turn to your prayers, my dear," he whispered. "You shall not open the door." With something like a sigh she rested in quietness.

At last they heard the man go away. They did not dare to move lest his going should be a pretence. Never in all his honorable life had the Squire stooped to such a thing as to hide in the dark while his enemy went by.

"Light the lamp," the girl said, with a long sigh. "He has gone further and further away."

While he fumbled for matches he became aware that she had left him, but before he could be uneasy while the flame of the lamp lit up, showing the familiar quiet room, she was back again.

"He is gone," she said with a sigh. She was looking very white and disturbed. Her eyes were as though she had just awakened. "He is gone," she said. "The light is gone. The moonlight now, and I saw him go across the field path. You had better go, my love. I shall be safe for tonight."

She reached up her arms and clasped them about his neck.

"I have loved you all the time," she said. "Ever since that first day you came into the New Cottage. I was in despair then. He had begun to exercise his influence over me. I was terribly afraid. When you came

in I looked at you, and I felt that God had sent me a champion. 'Oh, my dear,' said the Squire, overwhelmed. 'And I had been feeling so old. I am not old any longer; I am young. I give you all my life. But—it ought to be filial. You overwhelm me with your generosity.'

"Generosity!" she repeated, with a sigh. "Ah, how little you know! You will give me rest and peace. You will save me from myself, and him."

He resisted the temptation to prolong the moment, exquisite despite something of a dark shadow upon it. "My dear," he said, "you will never regret it. Now, I am going to take you back to your brother. You must not be alone here again."

She shrank away from him with a little cry. "And I will say no! 'What will they think?' she said. 'Let me stay here. I shall be quite safe. I will bolt the door. You see how strong it is. I will say no! I shall say no! I have not prayed enough. For a long time now I have almost forgotten to pray.'

"I am going to tell them now—to-night that you have given yourself to me. I want all the world to know it. But you must not stay here alone. If you insist upon it I shall spend the night outside watching your window. It would be no hardship on such a night."

"You must not do that," she said. "I will do what you wish, and you shall tell them. He will not trouble me there. While I stayed there he let me alone, or the influence failed. I do not know what you mean, always."

He unbared the door and stepped out into the shadow of the house. Beyond lay the little garden, the shadow of the apple tree hanging on the beds in the bright moonlight. She stayed to extinguish the lamp, to find the key of the door.

While he stood there in the shadow he had the strangest feeling that his life was threatened. It was as though a knife were lifted to be plunged between his shoulder blades. Nerves of course! Nothing but nerves. What was coming to him that he should be afraid? It seemed a long space of time while Dolly extinguished the lamp and found the key. He had time to turn sick with terror, lest at this moment, when he had gained her, when she needed him so terribly, his thread of life should be slit.

He broke from the fear as one breaks, with horrible struggles, from a nightmare. There was a cold sweat on his forehead; but he was his own man again. He said to himself that he knew now how men felt when they looked on Fear. He turned about and gazed at the yew hedge by which he had been standing. For a second he imagined that he saw something—something thin and light like a wraith of the moonlight. For a second he thought it had Mary Champney's eyes, that something like wings had closed around him. Of course it was nothing but a mist. The day had been warm, and the earth was steaming in the heavy dew. Dolly was by his side, very gentle, very submissive, softer than thistle-down, but warm and living.

"I have kept you," she said. "Oh, no, my dear," he replied. "It was nothing. Only a second or two. You will find that I can always wait for you, with endless patience, so long as you come at last."

They went across to the New Cottage. Nothing stirred in the quiet night except for the distant hooting of owls and the calls of the night jays.

He did not give her time to be afraid. In the face of the great issues that were before them he did not wait to consider whether Lionel Egerton and his wife would wonder that he had stayed so long with Dolly. He knew himself, so great was his chivalry, his heart towards her, that he would not have crossed the threshold of the cottage where she dwelt alone, if he had not been forced to do it.

(To Be Continued.)

Talking Between Airships

Though on first thought wireless telegraphy seems the simplest method of signalling between airships, the many troubles experienced with this caused aviators to look for some more practical means of communication. The French use what is called the "Morse" method. A cylinder having a capacity of five gallons is filled with lampblack. A cord is attached to the bottom of the cylinder, and by pulling this cord a valve is opened and a part of the lampblack is blown out by an exhaust. This produces a dark streak in the atmosphere. A shorter or longer opening of the valve produces a streak of corresponding length, and the signs produced are in accordance with the Morse code. These black streaks are plainly visible from a distance of about six miles and remain visible for two minutes, even in windy weather.

A beauty specialist frequently encounters hard lines.

What a Billion Means

This Illustration Brings to the Mind More Clearly What the Figure Implies

If a railway train, proceeding at the rate of a mile a minute, had been at the dawn of the Christian era started around the earth on a straight track, its object being to run 1,000,000 miles without a stop, it would have been necessary for that train to circle the earth 40,000 times, and it would not have come to the end of its journey until nearly New Year's eve, 1628, sixteen centuries after Christ was born. During its frantic flight it would have seen the Saviour live and die; Rome rise, flourish and decay; Britain discovered and vanquished by the Roman legions, and London and Paris built. It would have proceeded on its journey throughout the Dark Ages. It would have witnessed the birth of Columbus, the discovery of America, and have a couple of hundred years yet to continue.—Los Angeles Times.

Buying Fruit Crop

Agents of the various jam and canning factories of British Columbia are now buying up the 1917 small fruit crop, which will be raised on the lower part of the province. Contracts for 25 per cent. of the strawberry crop, nearly half the raspberry, and the whole of the gooseberry and blackberry crops have been placed. The jam factories are buying heavily this year and expect to be able to handle large quantities of first class fruit.

By assiduous devotion to his flower garden, Nick Romanoff will produce something far better than Bill Hohenzollern has been raising.—Washington Post.

Many a man is out of work for the simple reason that there is no work in him.

Why Not Advertise?

Use of Printer's Ink the Only Way to Get Business

Several dry loads of catalogues were recently received in Peterborough from mail order houses in Toronto, and the postmen were for a few days almost worked to death delivering this bulky matter to the various addresses. An almost equally large number went out by rural delivery to the farmers.

It is hard to estimate or even approximately guess how much money is diverted from this city to Toronto and other points by this class of business. And yet the patrons of the mail order houses are not entirely to blame for their apparent lack of local pride. They are simply falling under the influence of the art of advertising, the art that never fails to sway the masses. The mail order houses make a lavish use of printer's ink and get returns for their outlay. As much cannot be said for retail dealers.

There are merchants in this city who advertise steadily and extensively. Anyone can see that these are the men whose stores are most up to date and with whom business is brisk. In other lines there is an agreement among the dealers not to advertise. If one broke the rule the others would be obliged to follow the example for their own safety. Can the customer be blamed for the dealer complain, if the former consults his mail order catalogue and making his selection, sends his money to Toronto?

An agreement to keep out of the advertising columns has one feature to recommend it. It distributes the depression among the parties of the contract and all suffer the consequences in common.—Peterborough Review.

There may be nothing new under the sun, but there are always a lot of fresh people.

A Good Use for

Post Office Walls

Striking Posters Exhibited in Post Offices of France

In every post office in France the government has had the following poster exhibited:

"To French women and to young French men, Drink is as much your enemy as Germany."

"Since 1870 it has cost France in men and money much more than the present war."

"Drinkers are quick. They lose half their normal life and fall early victims to many infirmities and illnesses."

"The seductive drinks of your parents re-appear in their offspring as great hereditary evils. France owes to alcohol a great many mad men and women and consumptives and most of her criminals."

"Drink decreases by two-thirds our national production. It raises the cost of living and increases poverty."

"In imitation of the criminal Kaiser, drink debilitates and ruins France to the great delight of Germany."

"Mothers, Young Men, Young Girls, Wives! Up and act against drink in memory of those who have gloriously died on suffered wounds for the Fatherland! You will thus accomplish a mission as great as that of our heroic soldiers."

As timely as true! Strong drink is every man's enemy. Alcohol is a racial poison. A child weakly in mind or body is born of an alcoholic mother, and he in turn may become the parent of degenerate offspring.

Thus Society suffers.

"We are members one of another." That is life's logic. Drink, in striking my neighbor strikes me and all my other neighbors, for we are all "bound up in the bundle of life." Drink causes social loss and wrong, therefore drink is not only the French man's enemy, but every man's enemy.—J. H. Hazlewood.

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Genuine Vegetable Parchment

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per inch, in advance.

All changes of advertisements must
reach this office by Tuesday noon.

FRIDAY, JUNE the 8th, 1917

Note and Comment

Now that the election is a
thing of the past, all those who
worked so hard, during the
campaign, will now have time
to attend to their own lines of
labor. Incidentally, the close
season for election cigars is
again in force, and many will
revert to the old pipe.

When the backyard gardener
discovers that his potatoes are
up, he gets real chummy and fre-
quently refers to the condition
of the crop and prospects of the
potato market.

It is all over but the shouting
and we can settle down in peace
and quietness again, for another
four years, unless there is an
election in the Dominion.

Saskatchewan is having an
election in a couple of weeks.

Conscription may be voted on
by the people.

ONLY A DAD

Only a dad, with a tired face,
Coming home from the daily race,
Bringing little of gold or fame,
To show how well he has played the
game,
But glad in his heart that his own
rejoice
To see him come and to hear his voice.

Only a dad, of a brood of four,
One of a million men or more
Plodding along in the daily strife
Bearing the whips and scorns of life,
With never a whimper or pain or hate,
For the sake of those who at home
await,

Only a dad, neither rich nor proud,
Merely one of the surging crowd,
Toiling, striving, from day to day,
Facing whatever may come his way;
Silent, whenever the harsh condemn,
And bearing it all for the love of them.

Only a dad, but he gives his all,
To smooth the way for his children
small;

Doing, with courage stern and grim,
The deeds that his father did for him,
This is the line that for him I pen,
Only a dad, the best of men.

It is becoming evident that
the only perfect tax is the one
that the other fellow pays.



Out of the ink storm clouds he
comes, the arch-enemy of all good
farmers. There is nothing you
can do to stop him from reaping
his destructive harvest. Though
you cannot prevent such damage
you can protect yourself against
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ment large numbers of men
have been sent Overseas, many
of whom are now doing grand
work as cavalry in the present
advance that is taking place in
France.

A call has come for a large
number of Cavalymen to be
supplied by the Fort Garry
Horse and this will give those
who desire to join and ride a
chance to go overseas at an
early date, if they wish.

It is not necessary for the re-
cruit to be able to ride, as on
joining the Service Squadron,
34th Fort Garry Horse, a well
trained horse is allotted to him
and he is taught riding by some
of the best experts in Western
Canada; and it is a well known
fact that the men of this Squad-
ron have such a neat and dressy
appearance as to command the
attention of the citizens of
Winnipeg and other places
where they are seen.

Should any of the men of this
district desire to become identi-
fied with this Squadron, the
officer commanding, Major F.
W. Stoneman, whose head-
quarters are Service Squadron,
34th Fort Garry Horse, Tuxedo
Park, Winnipeg, will be glad to
hear from them by letter or
wire, and transportation will
be furnished to Winnipeg.

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MONITOR VOLUNTEERS

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Hugh McDonald
Harvey Johnson
Thomas Martin
Harry S. Johnson.
Phillip Whitney.
J. Harvey.
D. S. King.
A. E. Walker.
W. A. Spencer.
S. Frazer.
Hyland
Collier
George Cutts
Walter Purdy
Fred Herity
Walt Beaton
K. Clark
J. A. Connah
Alvin Shannon
R. J. Harrison
Jas. A. McCulloch
Carl Goodman
Jack McTavish
J. O. Beesley
Alex Smith
John Osborne
Claude (Pat) Stewart
Gilbert Ryckman
Carl Filepchal
Ivan Fisher
J. Gillespie
Marion Smith
Jack Cross
Andy McNair
S. Robson
Bob Edwards
George Palmer
Bill Palmer
J. S. Noad
Archie Sinclair
A. Hennessey
F. H. Piper
Albert Deacon.
J. W. Moore
J. Cresswell
Jeff. W. Kay
N. R. Rogers
Jack Thachanko
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Pearlbrook

Colorless faces often show the absence of iron in the blood.

Carter's Iron Pills will help this condition.

Good Business

A Gloucestershire man has set a patriotic example that should meet with reward. In his shop window is a sign saying: "This shop is closed owing to the proprietor having gone on military service. It will reopen within six months of the termination of hostilities, if he returns safe and sound, when your patronage will be welcomed."—Vancouver Sun.

THANKFUL MOTHERS

Mother who have once used Baby's Own Tablets for their little ones are always strong in their praise of this medicine. Among them is Mrs. Marcelle Boudreau, Mazonette, N.B., who writes: "Baby's Own Tablets are the best medicine I know of for little ones. I am very thankful for what they have done for my children." The Tablets regulate the bowels and stomach; cure constipation and indigestion, break up colds and simple fevers; in fact they cure all the minor ills of little ones. They are sold by medicine dealers or by mail at 25 cents a box from The Dr. Williams' Medicine Co., Brockville, Ont.

Nothing Else in It

Mme. Sanghieu—Did you hear what Mrs. Norveau Rch said to me at the concert this afternoon?
Mrs. Welborn—No, my dear; do tell me at about it.

Mme. Sanghieu—Well, she informed me she had decided to have a hair de plume in her hat.

Nothing as Good for Asthma.—Asthma remedies come and go but every year the sales of the original Dr. J.D. Kellogg Asthma Remedy grow greater and greater. No further evidence could be asked of its remarkable merit. It relieves. It is always of the same unvarying quality which the sufferer from asthma learns to know. Do not suffer another attack, but get this splendid remedy today.

"Don't you love our song, 'The Star-spangled Banner'?"
"I do," replied Senator Sorghum.
"Then why don't you join in the chorus?"
"My friend, the way for me to show real affection for a song is not to try to sing it."

KEEP YOUR SHOES NEAT

White Shoe Dressing

For Men's, Women's, and Children's Shoes. Cake 10c Liquid 10c

MADE IN CANADA

Miraculous Armoured Car

Utility of the Motor Car in Desert Warfare

The utility of the motor in desert warfare is illustrated by a most worthy exploit of the car battery in the Egyptian campaign. Three armoured cars, two light cars with machine guns, and 12 other motors carrying petrol and water, left to make a reconnaissance. In the neighborhood a considerable body of the enemy was believed to be at the time—at noon. The column, having filled up with petrol and put on board as much water for radiators as could be carried, continued the long trek. Bivouacking 125 miles inland, the party got under way at six the next morning, and did good running for three hours, but the sun's rays were blistering, and the water blowing from the north, the engines got very hot.

The drivers had been warned not to expect to find a pint of water on the road, and there was a serious prospect of water in the radiators running out before the return journey could be completed.

Nevertheless, the southward run was continued until the mileage was 102, when the cars reached the fringe of the plateau in front of the plain of Siwa. Along the water of the plateau they ran for eight miles, and then the water difficulty determined the question whether further progress could be made. Fortunately, the wind grew cooler, and helped the cars on the homeward trip. The party arrived in the afternoon of the following day entirely on their own supplies, no depot having been formed on the route.

Young men who go courting should bear in mind that the prettiest flowers are not necessarily the most fragrant.

CHILD'S SEVERE STOMACH TROUBLE

Harrison (Ont.) Father says Dr. Cassell's Tablets Saved his Child's Life

Mr. Corby, Harrison, P.O. Ont., writes: "Our little girl was weak from birth, and though we tried doctors' medicine and other things she got no better. She just lay in bed and cried, and neighbours all said we could not save her. The doctors said she had stomach trouble, and that her chances were small, so Dr. Cassell's Tablets came here. They have been worth their weight in gold to us, for we were just giving up hope of saving our little daughter. I don't think there is any other medicine for children like this. I like it, and I shall publish this letter if you like; it may help others as the Tablets helped us."

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Good Fighting Stock

It is fortunate for the United States that at this very critical juncture of its affairs, it has in the White House a president who comes of that stock, the so-called Scotch-Irish, that has given to the United States many of its most distinguished fighters.—Philadelphia Record.

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"They tell me I'm too old to enlist," replied Mr. Cumrox. "I kind of thought I'd like to have somebody bossing me around besides mother and the girls."

"I hear Adele has gone into comic opera."
"There was always something suspiciously about that girl."

The Unshackling of Russia

Prophetic Utterance of Lloyd George and Its Fulfillment

It is worth recalling that in August, 1915, when Russia was reeling under the shock of military reverses, Lloyd George expressed unshaken faith in the strength of mighty Russia. Here is a quotation from this prophetic utterance: "The coming in their victorious march know not what they are doing. Let them beware. For they are unshackling Russia, with their monstrous armies they are shattering the rusty bars that fetter the strength of the people of Russia. You can see them shaking their powerful limbs from the stifling debris and preparing for the conflict with a new spirit. I repeat the enemy know not what they are achieving for their apparent victory. Austria and Germany are doing for Russia today what their military masters effected just as unwillingly for France. They are hammering a sword, that will destroy them, and are forcing a great nation to wield it with a more potent stroke and a mightier sweep than it ever yet commanded." This speech gave great umbrage at the time to some of the incompetent bureaucrats then in power at Petrograd.—London Daily Chronicle.

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Duelling in the Air

Romance of Old Pale Into Significance Beside Deeds of Today

This passage from a correspondent's report of the air fighting on the British front is worth a little extra attention:

The greatest fight yesterday, oddly enough, was a drawn battle. One of the British pilots met a brilliant German flier for a full hour they manoeuvred in a most marvelous manner without either being able to bring his gun to bear on the other. They rolled, looped, twisted, deliberately stalled their engines and, standing the machines on their tails, slid backward through the air, but all to no avail. It was probably the most wonderful air duel the war has yet seen. The British pilot reported that several times he felt sure he would get his adversary between his sights, but the latter invariably wriggled out of the line of fire. The British flier himself was kept busy avoiding the German, and once he had to dive almost perpendicularly. The combat did not break off until both pilots had fairly exhausted themselves and their petrol.

The world has grown familiar with the tales of air duels, but probably no one, unless he is himself an aviator, fully grasps the marvelous feats which are being done every day. The aeroplane has brought back the days of romance, but not before the armies to engage in single combat; but what are the deeds of those old knights, which have filled the pages of romance for centuries, compared with the duels of the modern aviators? What were the skillful horsemanship and swordsmanship of the ancient champions compared with the hunting of one another by bird-men armed with machine guns, three miles or more above the earth's surface? The wildest imaginations of yesterday never conceived anything equal to what is actually happening today.

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"Tell Mr. Smith I want to see him at the telephone."

"I told Mr. Smith, sir, and he wants to know if you have a periscope at your end."

Americans After Canadian Potatoes

Heavy Shipments are Sent South From Saskatchewan and Alberta

The scarcity of the potato in the United States has led several wholesale firms there to send up scouts to Western Canada in order to obtain supplies of the now "elusive" spud. Some 30,000 to 35,000 bushels which have been kept in storage all winter by the farmers have been shipped since April 1 from North Saskatchewan to Chicago and other American centres. Northern Alberta also is exporting about 500 cars to the United States. The price obtained is from \$1 to \$1.25 a bushel. That the farmers of the west have stored away large quantities of potatoes which they are now preparing to release is the consensus of opinion amongst wholesale houses.

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1 bay mare, 2 years old, branded on right shoulder. \$5.00 reward for information leading to recovery. H. Gunderson Sec. 7-39-4

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The examination in the five grades will be conducted at the same centres and under the same presiding examiners.

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STRAYED

One black filly, 1 year old, wire cut on right hind foot, both hind legs white, star on forehead, clipped mane and foretop.
One bay filly, 2 years old, left hind foot white, star on forehead, cut foretop.
\$20.00 reward for information leading to recovery of same.
Joe Kislinger Eye Hill P.O. Alta.

PUBLIC NOTICE

On and after June 1st, 1917, the trail across the E. 1 of Sec. 10-32-4-4, will be fenced off. Parties using same are hereby notified to go around this land, after this notice.
Lars Ness New Brigidon

STRAYED

1 bay Gelding, barb wire cut on left front foot, branded on right thigh. \$5.00 reward for recovery. James McKenzie Kirriemuir 6-33-3.

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Strayed to Section 6-34-2-4, one grey Mare, dappled, branded indistinctly on left shoulder, resembling > E wght 1100 lbs. One small, 2 year old horse colt, white strip on nose, 4 white feet, no visible brand.
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WORK OF IMPERIAL CONFERENCE STRENGTHENS BONDS OF EMPIRE

RECOGNITION OF SELF-GOVERNING DOMINIONS

Readjustment of Constitutional Relations of Component Parts
Of the Empire may be Considered at a Special Conference
To be Held Immediately After the War

The colonial secretary, Right Hon. Weller Hume Young, has issued a statement respecting the work of the imperial war conference, together with some of the resolutions adopted by the conference. It states that some of the most important and most confidential character and that the publication of the resolutions and the debates upon them will probably be impossible until after the war.

However, decision was unanimous in the respect to the resolutions which are now publishable. On no occasion was it necessary to divide or to withdraw a motion because an agreement could not be reached.

The conference welcomed the increase in the number of trade commissioners and recommends that the governments concerned co-operate especially for the promotion of inter-imperial trade.

It records the view that the 1907 Imperial conference resolution be modified so as to permit the full representation of India in all future imperial conferences, and that the assent thereto of the various governments be obtained.

It prays that the king constitute by royal charter an imperial graves commission on the lines proposed by the Prince of Wales to the prime minister. The conference records its deepest appreciation of the French government's generosity in allotting in perpetuity the land where our men are buried and urges that similar arrangements be made in the peace terms with all the allies, enemy and neutral governments, in Gallipoli, Mesopotamia, Africa and elsewhere.

The conference expresses the opinion that a readjustment of the important and intricate subject as to constitutional relations of the component parts of the Empire is to be dealt with during the war, and should be discussed at a special imperial conference to be held immediately after the war. The conference records further that such readjustment, while thoroughly preserving all existing powers of self-government and complete control of domestic affairs should be based upon a full recognition of the dominions as autonomous nations of an imperial commonwealth and that the most important portion thereof, should recognize the right of the dominions and India to a voice in foreign policy and foreign relations and should provide effective arrangements for continuous consultation on all important matters of common imperial interest and for such concerted action founded on that consultation as the several governments shall determine.

The conference recognizes the importance of securing uniformity of Empire policy and action and recommends that the governments should naturalization and commends the proposals submitted to the overseas governments by the home office. It recommends that there be no delay in taking steps for the establishment in London of an imperial mineral resource bureau, on which the whole Empire shall be represented. Its duties shall include advising how its mineral resources may be developed and made available to meet the Empire's metal requirements.

In view of the experience of the war the conference draws attention to the importance of developing adequately the capacity for production of naval and military material, munitions and supplies in all important parts of the Empire, including the countries bordering on the Pacific and Indian oceans, where no such facilities at present exist. It affirms the importance of close co-operation between India, the dominions and the United Kingdom, with this object in view.

The conference urges that the present system of double income taxation within the Empire be as far as in hand immediately after the war, and the law so amended as to remedy the present unsatisfactory position.

In view of the war experience the conference recommends that for the safety of the Empire and the necessary development of its component parts, prompt attentive consideration and concerted action in regard first, to the production of adequate food supply and arrangements for its transportation when and where required under any conditions that reasonably may be anticipated; secondly, to the control of natural resources available within the Empire and especially those of an essential character for national purposes, whether in peace or war; thirdly, to the economical utilization of such natural resources through manufacturing processes carried on within the Empire; and recommends that the governments concerned consider the enactment of legislation in this direction.

Necessity is the mother of some inventions, but the majority of them are orphans.

People and Government

When the German People Know
Who Is to Be Blame for
the War

It is doubtless true, as the German newspapers say, that the German people feel themselves wronged by their government. A government that controls all the news sources is able to control ideas to a very large extent. There probably are no Germans today who do not believe that the war was forced on them, against the earnest wishes of the government, and that the government stands between them and conquest by a horde of enemies.

One of these days the people are going to learn of the frantic efforts made by the press of the world to substitute arbitration for war in the closing days of July, 1914; of the readiness of Serbia to meet almost impossible Austrian demands; of the proposal of Sir Edward Grey of a European conference; of the refusal of Austria to consent and the refusal of Germany to bring pressure to bear on her ally.

When the real facts are understood it will be strange if an account of the war is not written by the people who have had to bear the brunt of this war against those who brought it on.—From the Kansas City Star.

Why Americans

Enlist So Slowly

They Want Lots Cast and Then
They'll Take Their Chances
as Indicated

Annealy Burrows writes as follows in the Detroit Free Press:

That million of volunteers who were to spring to arms over night, according to the promise of anti-patriotic propaganda, are not yet springing. In fact the United States has not as yet produced as many military volunteers as Canada produced during the first week of the war.

Excluding the French Canadians, who have not responded to the call, Canada has only a few more than 50,000 of people, while the United States has about 20 times that number. Within two weeks after the call for volunteers, Canada had 32,000 men under arms, and more coming. On the same basis, and more coming. The United States has produced a nation of 100,000,000 it would have produced in the same period 740,000 volunteers. Since the war began, Canada with its 5,000,000 people and population, has enlisted 400,000 volunteers and at the same rate, had she possessed 100,000,000 population, would have produced 8,000,000 of volunteers.

Nobody has yet suggested that 8,000,000 Americans will volunteer or be asked to volunteer for military service. On the other hand, everybody would venture to suggest that the young men of the United States are less courageous than the young men of Canada.

The fact simply is that the young men of the United States are more progressive than the young men of Canada. The Canadian is stuck in the old fashioned idea of volunteering. They persisted in the belief that the state has no right to call on its young men to take the life of a citizen for the benefit of the whole nation. In their opinion, it was the duty of the state to beg this favor of its people and they thought the people retained the privilege of ascending when they felt like it, or of telling the state to go hang if they did not choose to come to its aid. The state has never occurred to the Canadians to raise an army by any other means than the volunteer method.

There are many American boys who share the Canadian view, and while these are not enlisting over night, by the million, as some congressmen so confidently predicted, they are enlisting in considerable numbers. But the majority of our youth have learned much since 1914, and look at the matter of military service from a new angle. They are quite willing to serve their country, but they do not see why certain ones should spring to arms while a lot of others who owe the same duty remain at home and make high wages or great profits out of the war in which the volunteers make nothing but on the contrary lose blood and health.

It is plain to them that the only fair way in which the selection of soldiers can be made is by the drawing of lots. The state is entirely within its rights to take chances. If they draw a job in a munition factory, or a chair in an office, they will perform their duty to the country in the best way and if they draw a billet with a regiment of infantry, or a battery of artillery, they will go to France, or elsewhere, and acquit themselves as Americans should.

French Praise for Canada

The Echo de Paris contains a detailed account of the part played by Canada in the war. The paper says in part:

"Every week brings us news of the unvarying generosity of the Canadians, who never cease to offer invaluable services in money and lives. Moreover, although everywhere else Germans are traitors to the country of their adoption, Germany has not been able to win any loyalty and do their whole duty just like the other inhabitants of Canada."

ALL OF EUROPE IS FRIGHEEEN BY DARK SPECTRE OF FAMINE

UNENVIABLE POSITION OF ENEMY COUNTRIES

The Whole Continent is Aroused to Realization that Starvation
May Intervene Before a Military Decision Can Be Possibly
Reached by the Combatants

The Heartless Huns

Will Germans Drive the Helpless
Belgians Against Allied Guns?

General von Bissing, the German Governor of Belgium who has passed from this earthly sphere, was an excellent specimen of the military brute developed by the Prussian system. An American newspaper correspondent, Fred C. Walcott, in an address in Minneapolis gave an illustrative account of an interview with von Bissing. He said, according to the Minneapolis Journal:

"I asked the German Governor of Belgium, General von Bissing, what they would do if the British and French withdrew their support of the Belgians and Germans who are within the German lines. He replied that preparations had been made for taking the skilled workmen to Germany."

releasing Germans for war service, and the others of both sexes who were healthy would be shipped to Mesopotamia, where they would irrigate that country, and make it ready for the German colonies to come. The others, he said, old and young and weak, would be herded together, and with a firing squad behind them, driven against the British and French guns to be passed through and cared for by those who were really responsible for their care. Belgium would then be peopled with Germans and the question of Belgian liberty would be settled forever."

This interview took place some months ago—before the capture of Baghdad by the British, which spoiled part of von Bissing's ideal. But another part, the deportation of skilled workmen to Germany has been carried out to some extent; and perhaps yet we shall see an attempt made to execute the last part, namely the driving of the weakest of the Belgian population in front of the British guns.

Of course von Bissing was no worse than the whole German general staff. He was a man of the best of them would carry out such a program with perfect cheerfulness.—Ottawa Journal-Press.

Much Good Steel

On Verdun Field

Salvaging Steel From the Famous
Battlefield Will Be Profitable Work

Millions of shells from German and French guns of various calibres have left the battlefield of Verdun holding a considerable amount of ready refined steel. So great is the store of scrap metal that the steel industry is figuring the advantage of trying to raise the steel industry of France's supreme resistance, when the war is over, to reduce the fragments.

A British report on many days calculated that a million or more projectiles had fallen into the area in twenty-four hours. The steel trade, however, prefers to estimate that Verdun was hammered at the moderate rate of a million a week.

A total weight of 1,350,000 tons is believed to await profitable reclamation from the area of the present surface. At the present price of scrap steel, \$17.50 a ton, the deposit is worth \$23,625,000.

Bare Shelves

Food Shortage Will Not Be Relieved
in 1917

The world-wide shortage of food, is not likely to end with 1917. Reserves stored in England, and what efforts are put forth now, there will be no accumulation of reserves by next autumn. We shall enter 1918 with bare shelves, and, even if the war ends with the present summer, general unemployment and delay in restoring to civil employment men now engaged in war will probably cause a famine next year to fall below the normal.

It is imperative, therefore, that in this country our plans for increased production should not be limited to the present. We have, indeed, been too slow in appreciating the condition by which we are faced to render possible such increase in production this year as should have been provided for. It is not early now to plan for next season. While doing everything possible to recover lost ground in 1917, let us not forget the necessities of 1918. More production this year and still more production next year should be the motto ever in mind.—From the Toronto Globe.

"The Smiths had a big blow-out on their night."

"Was it their daughter's birthday celebration?"

"No. It was their automobile tires."

All Europe has become panicky about food, says a special London report.

Germany is most scared among the combatants, but Spain and the Scandinavian countries are only less agitated. The whole continent has suddenly been aroused to the realization that starvation is possible long before a military decision can be reached.

The government-inspired German press is holding out assurances that "England is on the verge of starvation and is certain to collapse for want of food in a few weeks, regardless of the military situation." The German general staff is issuing the most preposterous misstatements regarding the military situation to convince the people that military conditions are of secondary importance.

In both regards the German government is misleading the people. Britain faces the necessity of holding out until the new crop is harvested. After which she will get a long respite because the interned German ships and new ships will become the dominant factor in the transport situation.

Nevertheless Great Britain is getting a much needed scare about the food situation, as they are in France and France are moving heaven and earth to show such a military preponderance as will overcome German confidence based on the success of the submarine campaign.

Spain and Scandinavia confront a black prospect because their economic resources are less able to cope with the conditions, and the United States must henceforth co-operate with the Allies, depriving the neutral countries of the supplies so that Great Britain and France can be fed.

Parisians have begun to get meatless dinners under a government order forbidding beef, pork, lamb, poultry, game, and similar dishes at the evening meal except on Sundays and holidays. Fish is so scarce and high that nearly everybody is a vegetarian now.

Eggs in various stages were consumed in great quantities, but the indications are that their sale will be restricted, as they are scarce and wounded soldiers, children, and aged people. Besides, there is great shortage of them.

The midday meal is the only one at which meats may be served. The French seldom have anything but coffee and bread for breakfast.

Despite the general lack of meatless dinners, the chefs of the leading restaurants had prepared various tempting dishes made of disguised vegetables. In the restaurants had big crowds of macaroni and other filling dishes, and Brunier's—celebrated fish place—was turning people away at 7 o'clock.

More and more the war councils in session at Washington are crystallizing into a monumental campaign to feed the Allies. Finance and shipping problems are coming to be considered comparatively collateral, though of course, vital.

It is taken for granted that it will be the policy of the Allies, after America has made her preliminary contribution to her fighting sister nations in men, money, and shipping, to enlist the United States with control of certain phases of the war. That food will be one of the problems left entirely in American hands is believed certain.

This will mean that one man, or small group of men, will be named by President Wilson to dominate the production and distribution of all food in the United States.

It is deemed probable that this step will involve the formation of an inter-Allied Food Commission, comprising a director-general for each nation.

The Austrian Emperor's Prayer

Austria made this year, and urged on by Germany, insisted upon having it. A few years earlier she seized Bosnia and Herzegovina, regardless of the risks she ran of starting a war at that time. In 1912 she sought to induce Italy to support her in war, but Italy refused. In 1914 she set out to overturn the world, and absorb Serbia, knowing that her action would bring on this great war, unless Europe, for a second time, looked on and allowed her to make conquest as she will. Yet the Emperor now, in his prayer, while his words are reverent enough, lies to Heaven by asserting that he and his people have fought only in self-defence.—Toronto Star.

Fat From Fruit Stores

War is a great teacher of little economies. If—there are of fats and oils in Germany last year to collect the fruit stores that are usually thrown away. One hundred and twenty thousand tons were gathered, from which was taken more than a million pounds of oil.—Youth's Companion.

General Local News of The Town and District

Readers Can Make This Column
More Interesting By Informing
The Editor of Events Occur-
ing Hereabouts.

Mrs. W. G. MacKenzie, and
son Peter, left on Monday for
an extended visit to her parents
home, at Morden, Man.

T. H. Noad has purchased a
Case gas tractor.

Rev. W. Cantlon, Kirriemuir,
has been transferred to White-
fish, and will take up his new
duties in a week or two.

W. G. MacKenzie was down
to Kerrobert the first of the
week.

Birth—On Sunday, June 3rd
to Mr. and Mrs. Fred Dowhan,
a son.

Married—On Saturday, June
2nd, at Monitor, by the Rev. W.
Wickenden, Mary MacGillivray
and Oscar A. Thompson, both
of New Bridgen.

The Brass Band is working
away getting in shape for the
season's engagements.

The big stampede, up north
in the hills, will be held again
this year, on July 4 and 5.

Tom Harley is visiting at
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H. McKechnie is spending the
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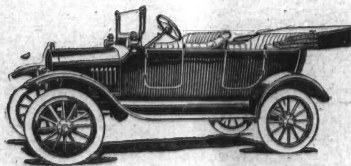
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